There are so many times that closed captions would cover the background where newscasts display who is reporting and where they are or even special alerts. We need to know where because it might happen in our neighborhood or what the special alerts are saying. The people who put the captions have to be more considerate for the hearing impaired if the programmers are trying to help the public.

Here is one example where a news reporter says "Please call the police at the number on your screen" Captions will say those words over the phone number that is on the screen and we would have no way of seeing the phone number. The captions would never mention the phone number.